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Another Great Auction Sale

Of those beautiful building and garden lots, at M'Farland's Grove, East Liberty, is advertised to come off on Monday afternoon, the 16th inst. Notwithstanding the number of lots sold at this point the demand continues and the prices increase at each successive sale.

Gold and Silver Hair Powder,

For fancy dress parties, for sale at McClarran's drug store.

Wonderful Change.

As we were passing along corner Penn and Wayne streets to-day, we happened to call in and see our friends, Messrs. Danley, Close & Co, successors to C. F. Klopfer; it is astonishing. We advise our friends, those who are in want of beautiful parlor and other furniture, to give them a call. The beauty of the thing is they sell ten per cent. cheaper than any other house in the city. Remember the place, corner of Penn and Wayne streets.

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Mr. McClarran has just returned from the Eastern cities with a large and carefully selected stock of drugs, medicines, perfumery, &c., which he will sell far below the usual rates. This principle in turn your goods over often if at a small profit. Call in and see for yourself, at McClarran's drug store, 85 Market street, corner Diamond, near Fifth street.

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This Company are rapidly getting their business organized—beside the principal office at 54 Fifth street, they have offices for calls at Chas. H. Super's drug store, corner of Penn and St. Clair street, Rush House, Canal and Liberty street, and Central Dining Saloon, opposite new depot, Pennsylvania Railroad, where packages may be left for delivery and checks for baggage, with directions of where to deliver. Branch offices at Gardner's drug store Lawrenceville, and Sample's book store, at the Railroad depot, Allegheny city. We have no doubt the public will appreciate this convenience.

Perfumery.

Ladies, when you desire perfumery or toilet articles, call at McClarran's, he has just received one of the largest and finest assortments of fresh goods ever brought to this city, including a splendid assortment of hair brushes, dressing combs, beautiful toilet bottles, gold and silver hair powder for fancy dress parties, and in fact every article that can be found in a first-class drug perfumery establishment. Don't forget the place, McClarran's drug store, 85 Market street.

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THE STATE ELECTION.

We have little additional news this morning of the election of Tuesday, and the estimated result remains at from ten to fifteen thousand Union majority in the State.

Sufficient returns have been received to warrant the announcement that both Houses of the Pennsylvania Legislature next session will be strictly Republican. The returns indicate that sixty-five Union members out of one hundred in the House of Representatives, and nineteen members of the Senate out of thirty-three have been elected, which insures a good working majority in both branches of the Legislature.

IOWA.

The election in this State took place on Tuesday. STONE, the Union candidate, has from fifteen to twenty thousand majority. Last year the State went Union by a majority little short of forty thousand. STONE ran on the negro suffrage platform.

A WASHINGTON dispatch to the New York *Tribune* says:

"A foreign Minister of one of the first Legations was riding in one of the Pennsylvania avenue cars, when a tidy mulatto woman entered, and no one offering her a seat, the diplomat rose and gave her his. This act of good breeding brought upon him the abuse of a gang of white rowdies, who finally threatened to force him out of the car. To this disturbance he left the car and walked to his residence."

This is almost as bad as they do it anywhere in the South—but we suppose it is all owing to President JOHNSON's reconstruction policy.

FINANCES OF CHICAGO.—Last week the Banks of Chicago called in a large number of their demand loans on grain, and this week they find that unless the warehouses are depleted somewhat before the close of navigation, they will be unable to afford provision operators the necessary accommodation to carry on their business vigorously.

EXCURSION TO THE OIL REGIONS.—An excursion to the oil regions of Pennsylvania has been planned by some of the active men of that region, to which a number of Eastern capitalists and prominent business men have been invited. The party are to rendezvous at Meadville, Pa., on Tuesday, the 17th inst., and will proceed thence to visit Corry, Titusville, Shaffer's Bridge, City, Oil City, Reno, Franklin, and other points of interest.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

The gunboats Algonquin and Winooski are being put in order for the river race. The Algonquin has had thirty-three tubes put in her boilers, and it has been decided to remove every other float from the wheels of each vessel. They will be allowed to carry as much coal and pressure of steam as they choose to carry, and whichever boat makes the fastest time will be the winner. The boilers of the Algonquin have been amply tested by the hydraulic test, which resulted favorably. The Winooski has been painted and renovated thoroughly.

The managers who have ceased to use the *Herald* boast that their houses are fuller than ever since they withdrew their advertisements and bill-printing from that paper. They show that the net profits per annum must be one of them or the *Herald* office were worth $100,000, instead of $20,000, as its proprietor pretends.

The Toronto *Globe* says that J. M. Mason, of Trent renown, is expected at Montreal with his family. England has become an uncomfortable place for him since the holders of the Cotton Loan have commenced asking impertinent questions about the value of their investments.

The barque Thermutis, at Cleveland, is fast getting her cargo of petroleum oil on board for Liverpool. Besides the oil she will also carry about 20,000 staves and headings, which will be used as dunnage in stowing the cargo. The Thermutis will be ready to sail about the first of next week.

The Boston correspondent of the Springfield *Republican* says the Cabinet is divided about as follows on the question of admitting representatives from the rebel States: For immediate admission—Mr. Seward, Mr. Dennison. Against immediate admission—Mr. Stanton, Mr. Harlan, Mr. Speed, Mr. McCulloch. Non-committal—Mr. Welles.

A letter from Macon, Miss., says very little cotton has been planted this year in the prairies—perhaps enough to make seed for another crop. Memphis, from all sources, will hardly be furnished with fifty thousand bales next winter. Excessive and protracted drouth has diminished the corn crop in many rich districts by nearly one-half. There will be, however, enough for local consumption.

The Montgomery *Mail* of the 28th ult. says the steamer Ruby, en route from Mobile, heavily laden with merchandize for several of the merchants, had sunk somewhere below, causing total loss of the boat and much damage to her cargo.

The prevailing drought is severely felt, especially in the manufacturing districts, where many mills are lying idle, while others are working only one or two days a week, for want of sufficient water to propel the machinery. There is also a scarcity of water in Philadelphia; the water in the Schuylkill is so low that nearly all the wheels at Fairmont have to be stopped, consequently there is but little water in the reservoirs. Under these circumstances the citizens have been cautioned against using more water than is absolutely necessary.

The three inch pipe for carrying oil from Pithole to Miller Farm on the Allegheny, is now completed. It was tested with water on Friday last, with good success. Several small leaks were found in various places, but everything in connection with the enterprise will be ready for operation next week.

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WASHINGTON.

RESIGNATION OF GEN. WISEWELL.

Property Restored to Rebels.

CHOLERA AT CONSTANTINOPLE DECREASING.

Disease at Marseilles Increasing.

Orders from the War Department.

ASSIGNMENTS OF REGULAR TROOPS

Regiments to be Mustered Out.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.
WASHINGTON, October 12.

Resignation Tendered.

General W. R. Wisewell, late Chief of Veteran Reserve Corps Bureau, and at one time Military Governor of Washington, has tendered his resignation.

Property Restored.

The Dangerfield property, at Alexandria, valued at over $50,000, by direction of the President has been restored to Mrs. Dangerfield; the whole family are notorious rebels.

The Cholera.

Letters received at the State Department today represent that the cholera seems to be on the decrease at Constantinople. At Marseilles, however, the disease is greatly on the increase the number of deaths averaging between fifty and sixty a day. Eighty thousand persons had left the city for the rural districts, to avoid the pestilence. Thousands of bonfires were kept blazing in the streets of the city, night and day, to purify the atmosphere. Business of all kinds was nearly suspended.

After Pardon.

The ex-rebel Gen. Huger, of South Carolina, is here on a pardon mission.

The following important order was issued by the War Department to-day:

WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, October 9, 1865.

General Orders No. 141.

I. Regiments of regular artillery, except mounted batteries of each, will be distributed as follows: Third United States artillery, Fort Sullivan, East Point, Me., one company; Fort Preble, Portland, Me., one company; Fort Constitution, Portsmouth, N. H., one company; Fort Warren, Boston, Mass., headquarters, and three companies; Fort Independence, Boston, Mass., one company; Fort Adams, Newport, R. I., two companies. The six dismounted companies now in the Department of Washington will be sent without delay to report to Major General Hooker, commanding the Department of the East, for assignment to Forts Sullivan, Preble, Constitution, and Warren. The headquarters of the regiment will be forthwith transferred to Fort Warren. Of the First United States Artillery—Fort Trumbull, New London, Conn., one company; Fort Schuder, New York, three companies; Fort Lafayette, New York harbor, one company; Fort Hamilton, New York harbor, two companies; Fort Richmond and batteries Hudson and Morton, New York harbor, two companies; Sandy Hook, New Jersey, one company. The five dismounted companies now in the department of Washington, one company in the department of Virginia, and one in the Middle Department, will immediately be put *en route* for New York city, to report to Maj. Gen. Hooker, commanding the department of the East, who will assign them to Forts Trumbull, Schuyler, &c. The headquarters of the regiment will be transferred to Fort Hamilton. The Fourth United States Artillery—Fort Delaware, Delaware, two companies; Fort McHenry, Baltimore, Maryland, two companies; Fort Washington, Maryland, headquarters and one company; Fort Foote, Maryland, one company; city of Washington, D. C., four companies. Companies in the Department of Washington, and in the Department of Virginia, will be sent without delay to Fort Delaware. Companies I, in this Department, and A and M in the Department of Tennessee, will immediately be put *en route*, without horses or batteries, for Fort McHenry, Baltimore, Maryland. Fifth United States Artillery—Fortress Monroe, Old Point Comfort, Virginia, headquarters and four companies; Fort Taylor, Key West, Florida, two companies. One company in the Department of Virginia, one in the Middle Department, one in the Department of the East, and one of the companies now in the Department of Washington, will immediately be put *en route* for Fortress Monroe, Va. The remaining four dismounted companies now in Washington, will, until further ordered, under command of Brevet Brigadier General B. H. Hill, Lieutenant Colonel 5th Artillery, to garrison Fort Jefferson, Tortugas. The two companies of regiments in the departments of Tennessee and South Carolina, will be put *en route* without delay for Fort Taylor, Key West. The Second United States Artillery has been assigned to the division of the Pacific.

II. The Second United States Cavalry will be put immediately *en route* to report to Major General Sherman, commanding the division of the Mississippi, for assignment. The Sixth United States Cavalry, without horses or equipments, will be sent, via New York, to New Orleans, to report for orders to Major General Sheridan, commanding the division of the Gulf.

III. The Fourth Regiment United States Infantry has been assigned to posts as follows: Fort Brady, Sault St. Marie, Michigan, two companies; Fort Wayne, Detroit, Michigan, headquarters and two companies; Fort Niagara, N. Y., one company; Madison Barracks, Sackett's Harbor, N. Y., two companies; Fort Ontario, Oswego, N. Y., one company; Rouse's Point, N. Y., two companies. Special orders have been already given for the movement of the regiment.

IV. Third Regiment Pennsylvania Heavy Artillery, at Fortress Monroe, Va., and the One Hundred and Sixty-first Regiment New York Volunteers, at Fort Jefferson, Florida, will be mustered out of service as soon as relieved by the Fifth United States Artillery.

V. All the volunteer cavalry East of the Mississippi river will be forthwith mustered out of service.

VI. All seacoast forts South of Fortress Monroe, Va., except Forts Taylor and Jefferson, Florida, will be garrisoned by colored troops, the requisite number of regiments having been selected for this purpose by Department Commanders; all other colored troops will be mustered out of service as fast as they can be dispensed with. The Department Commanders will report to the Adjutant General by telegraph the number of colored troops required, but not already in the service, and the number which can be not required to carry out this order, that particular instructions may be given accordingly for the transfer or muster-out of regiments.

By command of Lieut. Gen. GRANT.
[Signed] E. D. TOWNSEND,
Assistant Adjutant General.

To be Mustered Out.

The Assistant Provost Marshal of Maine has been arrested on a charge of accepting bribes from deserters. He will be tried by court martial.

An order was issued to-day by the War Department directing the muster out of fifteen regiments and parts of regiments, among them the following: Colorado, 1st cavalry; Florida, Co. A, 1st cavalry; Iowa, 6th cavalry; Indiana, 149th infantry, Co. A, 1st heavy artillery; Kansas, companies C, E and H, 11th cavalry—this completes the muster out of the Kansas regiments; companies I and M, 5th cavalry, heretofore reported ordered to be mustered out, but still in service; Ohio, 190th infantry; Wisconsin, 15th and 52d; United States colored troops, 60th, 79th, 83d, and men of the 73d whose term of service expired September 27th; the 9th infantry is discontinued and the men transferred to other regiments; the men of the 73d remaining in the service are consolidated with the 99th, this latter still being in service; the 77th infantry is consolidated with the 76th; the United States colored heavy artillery, the latter being still in service.

The Eight Hour System—A Merchants' Exchange to be Established—General Grant and the Reduction of the Army—Secretary Seward and the Fenians—Internal Revenue—Arrest of the Freedmen—The Indians and the Freedmen—Witnesses in the Wirz Case—A Drunken Man at the Executive Mansion—Southern Mail Lettings, &c., &c.

Special Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, October 12, 1865.

The eight hour system of labor is to be established by the Government in this city, and the first step in that direction was taken to-day by the Secretary of the Treasury, who issued an order to that effect. The order will go into operation on the 1st of November, and will affect a large number of employees in the various departments. The Secretary of the Treasury has also issued an order directing the establishment of a Merchants' Exchange.

General Grant has returned, and it is understood he is now prepared to carry out the plan already agreed upon for the reduction of the army to a standard, required for the ordinary condition of the country in times of tranquility at home, and peace abroad.

Some of Secretary Seward's friends admit that he did notify the British Government of the Fenian movement in this country, and justify it, on the ground that England gave us notice of the St. Albans, and other rebel raids, from Canada.

The receipts from Internal Revenue, on Wednesday, were $900,000.

By the recent census made by agents of the Freedmen's Bureau, it is stated that 50,000 represents the negro population of Alexandria, Louden, and Fairfax counties, in Virginia, St. Mary's county, Maryland, and the District of Columbia.

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Mr. Cooley, received to-day a communication from the principal chief of the Cherokee Nation, and the Governor of the Chickasaw Nation, stating that their people, to some extent, are disorganized and chaotic in their social and political condition, and they ask that, pending the adoption and ratification of the treaties now under consideration, some means be taken by the United States to secure these people domestic tranquility and protection from outside aggression. They state further, that in concluding an abandonment of their right of property in the slaves, they do not wish to be considered as having abandoned all interest in their present and future welfare. If the slaves are to be secured their freedom by the United States Government, they desire it shall be on such terms as shall make their freedom as valuable to them as can be consistent with the rights of their late owners, and the peace, prosperity and well-being of the whole community. To this end, they ask that a competent agent of the Freedmen's Bureau be sent to each nation, with instructions to provide for and exercise proper control over the freedmen.

It appears to have been assumed from the report of the proceedings in the Wirz trial, on Saturday last, that the position of the Judge Advocate on the point of excluding, as witnesses for the defense, prominent rebel officers, on the ground of incompetency, by reason of their having been engaged in the rebellion, was ruled on and sustained by the commission. Such was not the fact. The counsel for the accused, in reply to the inquiry by the Presidential functionary, stated that he would not insist on the attendance of the witnesses, and there the matter ended, the President stating that there was nothing before the court for decision on that point.

The committee appointed by the late South Carolina Convention to intercede in behalf of Jeff. Davis, had an interview with the President to-day.

A drunken man from Alexandria visited the Executive Mansion to-day, seeking an interview with the President, but becoming disorderly, was ejected by the officer on duty.

The latter had just turned to enter the house, when the sentry noticed the man draw a pistol, and seized it. The man was taken before a justice of the peace and fined for carrying concealed weapons.

Preparations are now being made for the great Southern mail lettings. The Department is ready and willing to receive all reasonable propositions, but there is difficulty in finding suitable men who have not been engaged in the rebellion, and who can take the prescribed oath.

General Grant has issued the following order of War to discharge all volunteer Major and Brigadier Generals, with their staffs; and he has also ordered the mustering out of nearly all the colored troops.

Col. Parker on General Grant's staff has returned. He was one of the Commissioners to treat with the Indians. He reports everything now satisfactory.

The Navy Department has ordered a General Court Martial to convene in Washington on the 1st of November, composed of the following officers: Admiral Farragut, Rear Admiral Heron Paulding, Rear Admiral Charles Davis, Rear Admiral J. A. Dahlgren, Commodore Thos. Turner, Commodore C. H. Bell, Commodore James A. Winslow, Capt. P. Lee, Capt. M. Smith and Captain James Alden. As this is a solid court, it is conjectured that persons high on the navy list are to come before it, but their names are not promulgated.

DEATH OF JOHN McCOOK.

GEN. THOMAS IN WASHINGTON.

Orders to General Howard.

Abandoned Lands Occupied by the Freedmen.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

Death of John McCook.

WASHINGTON, October 12.

Dr. John McCook, the father of Brevet Major General Edward McCook, and Brevet Brigadier General Anson McCook, died here yesterday, of dysentery, after a two weeks' illness. He breathed his last at the headquarters of his son, Gen. Anson McCook, and was attended in his last moments by his son and daughter. His son John was telegraphed for, but failed to arrive in time to see his father alive. His remains will be taken to-morrow to his late home in Steubenville, Ohio.

General Thomas.

Maj. Gen. Geo. H. Thomas arrived here today and had an interview with the President, General Grant, and Secretary Stanton. He was accompanied by Mrs. Thomas, and will spend about ten days in Washington. The principal object of his visit is to procure a settlement of the Kentucky difficulties.

Change in Location.

Assistant Surgeon J. H. Horner, U. S. A., is relieved from duty in the Ohio Department, and ordered to duty in charge of the Jefferson General Hospital at Jeffersonville, Indiana.

Abandoned Lands.

Major General Howard, previous to starting on his tour of inspection through the South, received the following orders:

WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, October 9, 1865.

GENERAL ORDERS NO. 145.

Whereas, certain tracts of land situated on the coast of South Carolina and Florida, at the time for the most part vacant, were set apart by Major General W. T. Sherman in special orders No. 15, for the benefit of refugees and freedmen that had been congregated by the operations of the war, or had been left to take care of themselves by their former owners; and whereas, an expectation was thereby created that they would be able to retain possession of said lands; and whereas, a large number of the former owners are earnestly soliciting the restoration of the same, and promising to absorb the labor and care of the freedmen, it is so ordered that Maj. Gen. Howard, Commissioner of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands, proceed to the several above named States and endeavor to effect an arrangement mutually satisfactory to the freedmen and the land owners, and make a report; and in case a mutually satisfactory arrangement can be effected, he is duly empowered and directed to issue such orders as may become necessary, after a full and careful investigation of the interests of the parties concerned.

By order of the President of the United States.
[Signed] E. D. TOWNSEND,
Assistant Adjutant General.

BOILER EXPLOSION AT SHARON.

Rolling Mill Employees Injured.

Loss Estimated at $20,000.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

SHARON, October 12.

The boilers of the rolling-mill of this place were blown up this morning about eight o'clock. One man and two boys were seriously injured, and five others were slightly injured.

The loss of property is estimated at about thirty thousand dollars.

The excitement attending the explosion was very great for a time, but on learning that none were killed the excitement speedily subsided.

C. M. R.

PENNSYLVANIA ELECTION.

Greene County.

Special Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WAYNESBURG, October 10.

The election passed off very quietly here. Some little excitement was manifested relative to local candidates. The vote in Marion township, including this borough, was—Hartranft, 160; Davis, 121. Campbell, 102; Linton, 120. For President Judge, J. K. Ewing, Union, had 112, and Samuel Gilmore, Democrat, 106. For Assembly, Col. S. M. Bailey, Union, had 119, and Thomas Rose, Democrat, 94. G. S. J.

Armstrong County.

[Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Commercial.]

KITTANNING, October 12.—The entire Union ticket has from 60 to 150 majority in this county, with the single exception of Associate Judge, the Mr. Nulton, who, although nominated on the Democratic ticket, claims that the Republicans elected him, and he is now of them.

Wayne County.

HONESDALE, PA., October 12.—Wayne county gives from 200 to 300 Democratic majority, a Democratic loss of nearly 500.

Venango County

PHILADELPHIA, October 12.—A telegraphic dispatch from Franklin says: Twenty-one districts heard from give a Union majority of 168. There is a probable Union majority in the county of 400.

THE BOYD'S HILL MURDER.

Marschall Cross-Examined.

THE DEFENSE ATTEMPTS TO PROVE AN ALIBI.

THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S CLOSING SPEECH.

CHARGE OF JUDGE STERRETT TO THE JURY.

Verdict of Guilty Against Frecke.

The Prisoner Proclaims His Innocence.

The trial of Auguste Freck was concluded yesterday afternoon, and the jury found him guilty of murder in the first degree. This case has been a very remarkable one in all its features, but particularly in the fact of Marschall, the accomplice of Frecke, having been admitted as a witness against him, himself (Marschall) having been previously convicted, but not sentenced. The defense only made the guilt of Frecke the more apparent by the rigid cross-examination of Marschall, and the hope of proving an alibi by the testimony of Miller, the old Fagan, in whose house Frecke lodged, was dissipated by the witness assuming to fix the time at which Frecke went home on the night of the murder, without having a basis for the assumption beyond his vile attempt to shield a wicked wretch from justice.

Hardly anything was given in evidence which has not already been stated over and over in the COMMERCIAL. We shall, however, furnish such portions of the testimony as are really new and add weight to that previously published.

TESTIMONY OF BENJ. B. MARSCHALL.

On cross-examination, Marschall said that the stranger was not drunk at any time; Frecke and Marschall were not drunk; saw a photograph of the murdered man on Fifth street; there was a crowd; Frecke shook me and said, "there is the man." After the murder, Frecke took any man in the face, and could not write, my hand trembled so; have not made a confession I feel better: I have no hope of pardon.

THE GOLD WATCH.

Ex Mayor Weaver testified that on Sunday, the 24th of September, he was in the Mayor's office when Frecke came to the office, and saw the gold watch (watch shown to witness) lay on the table; murdered man identified by Frecke as being that which the murdered man had in his possession; the watch was opened by Frecke, and he got it into his hands; he then examined it carefully and said it was the watch; he knew it by the pivot.

THE MURDERED MAN'S TRUNK.

Officer Seth Wilmot testified that he was in the room of the Chief of Police when Frecke pointed out the large trunk as his property.

MARSCHALL'S BROTHER.

Richard Marschall, brother of Marschall who was engaged in the murder of the unknown man, testified that he saw Marschall and Frecke together in New York; that they were there for six or seven days; that he accompanied them to the dock when they left; that the last time he saw them was on the evening.

FRECKE AND MARSCHALL AFTER THE MURDER.

Louis Stoker, bar keeper at Ditter's tavern on Pennsylvania avenue, testified to seeing Frecke and Marschall together at Ditter's, drinking beer, on Saturday evening, September 23d.

THE MURDERED MAN'S RING.

Officer Jacob P. Messner testified that he was present in the Mayor's office when the ring was shown to Frecke and heard him to say that he thought it belonged to Lee, meaning Gen. Lee.

WHERE THE TRUNKS WERE FOUND.

Officer Kerns testifies that he found the large trunk at the store of Mr. Swalley, corner of Webster and Elm streets; and officer Wray testifies to having found the small trunk at Mr. Nuhall's house.

THE ARREST OF FRECKE.

Officer Messner testifies to being with officer Wilmot at McKeesport when they arrested Frecke; Frecke attempted to escape and broke the spring of one of the handcuffs; he asked Marshall had been searched; had not both of his pockets been turned out; Marschall had stolen a knife from him, and if he was searched they would find it.

HOW THE TRUNKS WERE CARRIED FROM PLACE TO PLACE.

Mr. C. Swalberg testified that the large trunk (belonging to the murdered man) had been left at his store by Frecke. Mrs. Louisa Swalberg testified to seeing Frecke at the store opening the trunk, taking out a towel, wiping the sweat from his face with it, returning to the trunk with it, and putting the keys back into his pocket. Mr. Rinehardt testified to seeing the trunks brought to his house by Marschall. Mr. Michael Coward testified that both trunks were brought by his house at Marschall's request, Marschall comforting himself with the thought that Marschall was a day or two after the murder, by Marschall, who said they forged a check on a man going West who had given him two dollars to take care of them for him.

District Attorney Kirkpatrick here announced that the case was closed for the Commonwealth.

THE DEFENSE.

Mr. Siebeneck, of counsel for Frecke, then made a short speech to the jury in which he gave Frecke's version of the story, and promised that they would attempt to prove an *alibi* in favor of Frecke.

THE ALLEGED ALIBI.

Ernest Miller was called to establish the fact that Frecke had returned home from New York, on the night of the murder, at a few minutes past ten o'clock. He said "Frecke came home about ten minutes after the bell rang at the depot; it was about eleven o'clock by my watch, when he came; I was then in the sitting quarters; too fast; told the Mayor that it was after eleven o'clock when Frecke came; that my clock was after the depot clock; I had been to bed; when he did not see the clock and did not hear it strike before I went to bed; that he was sitting up and heard the bell ring; that he sing-songed to me; I got up when he came; guessed it was about that time, but did not know."

MRS. MILLER'S IMPRESSION AT THE TIME.

Mrs. Christina Miller, a woman who has been much abused by her husband on account of Frecke, testified that she was in bed when Frecke came home, and that she thought it was about half past ten.

REBUTTING TESTIMONY.

Mayor Lowry, Ex-Mayor Weaver, and William Herries were called, and testified to the various statements made by Miller in the Mayor's office in reference to the time at which Frecke arrived home on the night of the murder.

SUMMING UP BY MR. KIRKPATRICK.

We regret that our space is too limited to permit of a report of the very able and finished speech, summing up the case, by District Attorney Kirkpatrick. Suffice it to say, that he reviewed the whole ground gone over, made additional citations to those adduced on the previous day, justifying the admission of Marschall as a witness against Frecke.

CHARGE TO THE JURY.

Judge Sterrett charged the jury at length, and with great care. He said it was true that the testimony of an accomplice should be received with great care and caution by the jury. An accomplice was a competent witness; his credibility was for the jury to determine for themselves. The object of admitting the evidence of accomplices was in order to assist the discovery and punishment of crimes which could not be proved against the offenders without the aid of an accomplice's testimony. In regard to Marschall's religious belief, the Judge said that the law presumed that every man professed in an enlightened country like ours generally acknowledged, believed in and feared Him. The charity of its judgment was extended alike to all; Marschall did not profess belief in the existence of a God; he, to whom he is answerable for the truth of what he has testified. His credibility was for the jury to determine. In the case of Frecke there was no middle ground; he must halt at no middle ground; their verdict must be, "guilty of murder in the first degree," or "not guilty."

THE VERDICT.

The case was submitted to the jury, and they left the court-room at a quarter before three o'clock. They returned into court, bringing in a verdict of guilty, having been out just forty minutes, and rendered the verdict of "Guilty of murder in the first degree."

HOW THE PRISONER RECEIVED THE VERDICT.

As Sergeant Bell proceeded to read the fatal verdict, Mr. Siebeneck interpreted the result to the prisoner, who struck his breast heavily, and exclaimed, in German, "I am innocent! I am innocent!" He then sat down and appeared calm. Subsequently, when being removed from the court-room, he gave vent to other expressions, with great vehemence: "I am an innocent man. The Lord on the cross; I am made to suffer for another."

This is the end of the trials in this Boyd's Hill case, and it is hoped that the last man who shall have been called to meet their doom on the gallows, that the awful circumstances may admonish wickedly disposed persons that the hand of God and the Law of Society may not be violated, and the perpetrators escape justice.

Mr. Swartzwelder, while setting near the prisoner, Frecke, yesterday, heard him observe, when he saw the photograph of the murdered man, pointing to the face on the right, "I'll be even with him yet; I'll fix him with the iron." This was not in testimony, but it is another of those circumstances pointing directly to the guilt of the scoundrel. No sapient lawyer was he in saying things in German in Court, as he was in rushing Boyd's murderers to the gallows, and then, forgetting himself with the thought that Marschall was about to get hanged, he objecting to such consummation. Now both the guilty ones are convicted, the public feel much better, and breathe freer.

DEATH OF DR. JOHN MCCOOK.—A dispatch from Hon. E. M. Stanton, to Gen. Ed. McCook, of Steubenville, announces the death of the latter's father, Dr. John McCook, in Washington city, on Wednesday afternoon. The deceased was the only brother of Dr. George McCook, of this city, and had visited Washington City on business when he was stricken down with the illness which caused his death. He was a firm, unwavering friend of the Union during the late rebellion, and his two sons were in the army. The last Gen. Ed. McCook, which are familiar to all, were a source of much pride to him. His remains left Washington city yesterday and will arrive in Pittsburgh *en route* for Steubenville to-day.

EXPLOSION IN AN OIL REFINERY.—Yesterday afternoon about four o'clock, a still in the oil refinery of Messrs. Forsyth Brother & Co., situate on the south bank of the Allegheny river, near Sharpsburg, exploded, but owing to the admirable construction of the building the damage sustained was trifling.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.—The October term of this Court will commence on Monday next. Among the business that will be brought up during the session will be the cases of the Clearfield and Cambria county draft compromise.

ARRIVED HOME.—George W. Humbert, Esq., of the firm of Humbert, Lightner & Co., of this city, has arrived home from Barbadoes, British West Indies, where he has spent the past five months in leasing a large portion of the oil lands of that Island. He has brought home with him samples of rich lubricating oil, together with numerous specimens of asphaltum, stone, earth, etc., deeply impregnated with oil, which the curious can inspect by calling at the office of the firm, on Third street, near Wood.

SECOND EDITION.

4 O'CLOCK A. M.

Accounts of Postoffice Department.

Troops Not to be Withdrawn from Kentucky.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, October 12.

The Postoffice Department is making up its accounts for the next Congress, and it appears that while the mail service has been sustained by the receipts for postage during the rebellion, the deficiency when the mail route servitude in Southern States are resumed will be eight million dollars.

The published statement that the President had ordered the withdrawal of troops from Kentucky is premature, to say the least. No such order had emanated from the White House up till five o'clock this evening.

PHILADELPHIA.

THE TWENTY-EIGHTH

TRIENNIAL CONVENTION

OF THE

Protestant Episcopal Church

IN THE

UNITED STATES.

PHILADELPHIA, October 12.—The General Convention of the Episcopal church reassembled at ten o'clock this morning. The Committee on new resolutions recommended the passage of a resolution ratifying the division of the Diocese of Pennsylvania into two new Dioceses, the said division to take place on the 1st of November, 1865. It was stated unofficially that the sum of $35,000 had already been raised for the support of the Episcopate of the new diocese.

Mr. Otis, of Illinois, moved to amend the resolution so as to make the name of the new diocese the Diocese of Pittsburgh.

The amendment was voted down.

The order of the day, the case of Dr. Wilmer, Bishop of Alabama, was resumed. A long discussion followed.

Dr. Kerfoot proposed the following as a substitute for the original motion:

WHEREAS, The Episcopal Convention have informed Bishop Wilmer that their resolution expressing to Bishop Wilmer their regret regarding his late pastoral address: therefore,

Resolved, That this House does hereby signify its concurrence in the action of the Convention, and its full participation in the spirit and intent of the resolution informally made known to this House.

Dr. Kerfoot took the ground that the South was right in what they did. They acted upon a fiction, now passed away, thank God, but it was a fact to them, and they proceeded to organize the work. The fiction of allegiance had been put piece of the nation demanded the instant settlement of the question.

Ex Governor Pollock had intended to submit a resolution similar to the one just read, but with the addition, "provided, however, that such acceptance of the Right Reverend Richard H. Wilmer, D. D., as Bishop of Alabama, and that the consent to his acting as Bishop of the Diocese of Alabama be not given until he shall have transmitted in writing, to the Secretary of the House of Bishops, a copy of this church or the presiding Bishop of the Church of Bishops, the promise of conformity comprised in the office for the consecration of Bishops, and the Ordinal of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and the declaration of conformity and evidence of consecration, shall be committed to the custody of the Registrar of the General Convention, and that a copy of the same be given to the above named condition shall have been duly complied with, that the consecration of Bishop Wilmer as aforesaid, to have become complete."

The concluding sentence of the above resolution was proposed by Rev. Dr. Vinton, and accepted by Mr. Fish.

Dr. Kerfoot consented to the withdrawal of so much of that part of his resolution.

The question was upon Gov. Fish's resolution and adopted with but one dissenting voice. This disposed of the question.

TENNESSEE LEGISLATURE.

Resolutions Endorsing the President.

NASHVILLE, October 12.—The following are the resolutions endorsing the Administration, which were tabled by a vote of thirty-five to twenty-five, in the House of Representatives:

Resolved, That we do hereby approve and heartily endorse the administration of Andrew Johnson, President, and hereby promise him our faithful and earnest support in carrying out his policy in organizing the government of the South.

Resolved, That the letter of instruction to Gov. Holden, of North Carolina, in relation to the fact that the returned Confederate soldiers who have been paroled and taken the oath prescribed by him, and who do not come within any of the exceptions in his proclamation of amnesty, shall be restored to all the rights, privileges and immunities of full and complete citizens, which is a true exposition of the amnesty and pardon, and contains a true solution of our unhappy condition, and if faithfully sustained and carried out by the people, will lead us to peace, happiness and prosperity.

Resolved, That in our present difficulties we look to President Johnson with hopeful confidence, and we have full faith and implicit faith in his statesmanship and patriotism, and we firmly believe that his policy, iron will, and unyielding patriotism will restore both order and fraternity among the people, bring peace to the country, and prosperity to the nation.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be requested to furnish a copy of these resolutions to the President of the United States, and also that he furnish a copy to each of the Governors of the several States of the Union.

The following resolution was adopted in place of the above, by a vote of sixty to four:

Resolved, That we cordially endorse the proclamation of His Excellency, Hon. Andrew Johnson, President of the United States, especially his declaration that treason shall be made odious and traitors punished.

A grand celebration took place here to-day, by the Teachers of the State Association. An address was delivered by Gov. Brownlow.

THE VIRGINIA ELECTION.

Union Congressmen Elected in the First and Second Districts.

FT. MONROE, October 12.—The Virginia election passed off quietly and the Union candidates are probably elected to Congress in the first and second districts.

WASHINGTON, October 12.—From returns received here to-night, there is no doubt of the election to Congress of R. Johnson Barbour, Union, in the Third District, over John S. Pendleton and the others. His district includes the city of Richmond. Robert Ridgeway, Union, elected in the Fourth, and Alexander H. H. Stuart, probably, in the Sixth District. Robert S. Conrad's majority in Alexandria, a part of the Seventh District, over Lewis McKenzie, Union, is fifteen. Conrad was one of the signers of the ordinance of secession. He avowed, previous to the election, that he would not subscribe to the oath if elected. There is nothing definite from the other portions of the district, but Conrad is probably elected.

FROM MEXICO.

Imperial Court in Mourning—Maury a Mexican Citizen—Defeat of Juarist Forces.

NEW YORK, October 12.—Intelligence has arrived from Mexico by way of Havana to the 30th of September.

The Imperial Court was ordered into mourning for seven days for the death of the Grand Duchess Sophia of Baden.

Lieut. Maury, late a rebel official, has received from the Emperor, Maximilian, papers of naturalization. He is therefore now a Mexican citizen.

The story that Juarez had passed the frontier at Paso del Norte, and had gone to Santa Fe, was believed in Mexican circles. The Imperialist organs regarded it as the practical end of the Juarez resistance.

A party of zouaves had attacked a band of Juarists under Mendez, and dispersed them, thus re-establishing communication between Tampico and San Luis Potosi. Various other small battles are reported as resulting favorably to the Imperialists.

FROM HAYTI.

Attempted Revolt at Port au Prince—An Empire Projected.

NEW YORK, October 12.—Later intelligence from Hayti conveys information of an attempted revolt in Port au Prince, in favor of the ex-Emperor Soulouque, the leaders of the plot intended to proclaim the fall of the President, Fabre Geffrard, and announce an Empire with Soulouque at its head.

The Spanish fleet off the country is good. President Geffrard is well. No military movements have taken place.

Santa Anna Enlisting Troops for Juarez.

NEW YORK, October 12.—News from St. Thomas received to-day, states that General Santa Anna is enlisting troops, intending to aid Juarez

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1865.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT MEETING.

Recently there assembled in the State of North Carolina one of the most important as well as novel conventions ever held in this or any other country. Its action was of such significance that the proceedings belong to the history of the time. This importance arises from the fact, that the Convention was of colored people, exclusively, engineered by no white man. Its object was to present the cause of the Freedmen, to set forth their own ideas as to their rights and necessities, and what should be done to regulate the relations between them and their former masters and the State, and to secure their rights. We have had the cause of the Negro in the South, freed by the war, presented in all manner of ways, by all manner of persons,—but here we have it presented by himself. And it has been done in a manner so respectful, so faithful, so intelligent, and in every respect so well, that the Convention's action is worthy of the closest scrutiny by every statesman and philanthropist. The problem of the day is the condition and destiny of the freedmen of this land. It is said that they have capacity to become citizens, which, at the very least, contemplates that they know best what they require at the hands of the law-makers.

Holding this in view, we give so much of the proceedings of the convention as will do justice to its action,—confident that we could not more acceptably occupy our space:

The convention seems to have originated in the fertile brain of Mr. A. H. Galloway, a mulatto of Fayetteville, who did the Union some good service during the war; but the call came from a committee of three appointed at a meeting held at Wilmington about a month ago:

"Let the leading men of each separate district issue a call for a meeting, that delegates may be chosen to express the sentiments of the freedmen at Raleigh, on the 29th of September, and let each county send as many delegates as it has representatives in the Legislature. Really, old men, we want the counsel of your years and experience; rally, young men, we want your loyal presence, and need the ardor of youth to stimulate the timid; and may the spirit of our God come with the people to hallow all our sittings and wisely direct all our actions. A. W. Galloway, John Randolph, jr., and George W. Price, Committee."

The meeting was held in Raleigh, on the first day of September, and the place of assembling was the African church. Its floor was carpeted, and its seats cushioned. The noticeable feature in it was a large and elegant bust of Mr. LINCOLN, standing on a bracket, and against a black back-ground, in the farther end and over the pulpit seat. Over the bust was a canvass, bordered with black, on which is neatly inscribed the last paragraph of Mr. LINCOLN'S last message, beginning with "With malice toward none and charity for all," &c. And the one thing which that church and congregation never will part with is this exceedingly life-like bust of the man whom they call "Father" and "Deliverer."

The call provided for one hundred and twenty-two delegates. On the assembling of such as appeared on the day, it was found that but about half the counties in the State were represented. "We should have counted it a great success if even only a quarter had been represented," said one of the leading delegates—"as it is, we think we have achieved a great victory." Many of the delegates had regular credentials from the proper county officers, but others were certified by only local organizations, church societies, &c. The difficulty of the occasion was met by resolving the affair into a general mass convention of those who had credentials of any sort from any organized body of freedmen. The aggregate of delegates was one hundred and seventeen—all sincere, earnest men, and most of them there in "the spirit of our God." The great majority of them were freedmen, and not freemen—even some of them were scarcely yet so much as freedmen.

A correspondent of the Boston *Advertiser* describing the proceedings, remarks, that a "great many unimportant matters were needlessly brought before the convention, and there was much talk on trivial affairs, and a deal of wordy debate in respect to some legitimate business. Yet even all this was not without its value, for it brought out many facts and opinions of general use to the delegates as individuals, and served to help them to closer fellowship and more unity of sentiment in respect to the future. The just rights of the freedmen are not to be gained in a day or in a year—will not be gained at all unless they can work together for a common end. Clanishness and the prejudice and bigotry that come in its train, are not wanted, but there must be a manful and liberal and sincere brotherhood."

The temper of the convention as a whole, and of at least four-fifths of the delegates individually, found expression in the little, sober, temperate speech of Rev. J. W. Hood, on taking the chair as permanent president:

"There has never been, and perhaps never will be, a more important assemblage in North Carolina, than this of which we, gentlemen, each form a part. We have met to deliberate in a Christian spirit upon the best interests of our people—holding up before God no one man's "equal rights before the law," yet understanding it to be wise and proper that, whether in doors or out of doors, we should bear ourselves respectfully towards all men, and avoid all rash and harsh expressions towards anybody or about any line of policy. Let us keep constantly in mind that this State is our home, and that the white people are our neighbors, and many of them our friends. We have all got to live here together—schemes of colonization and deportation and expatriation all are nonsense; we are all here, and we have, as people, got to stay here; therefore let us, on our part, treat all men with courtesy, and thus by our gentlemen or ruffians. The major part of the white people of the State are gentlemen and ladies, and if we respect ourselves we shall be respected. I think the best way to prepare a people for the exercise of their rights is to put them in practice for those rights, and as I think the time has come when we should be given ours: but I am well aware that we shall not gain them all at once. Let us have faith, and patience, and moderation, yet assert always that we want three things—first, the right to give evidence in the courts; second, the right to be placed in the jury box; and third, the right to vote. These rights we want, these rights we contend for and these rights, under God, we must ultimately have."

The resolutions adopted by the Convention express reverence for the memory of "those heroes, JOHN BROWN, ROBT. G. SHAW," numerous others of less note, "and last and greatest, ABRAHAM LINCOLN;" hail with satisfaction the passage of the constitutional amendment, the organization of the Freedmen's Bureau, the establishment of schools for the education of 75,000 colored children, the admission of JOHN S. ROCK to the bar of the Supreme Court, the issuing of the Emancipation Proclamation, and the recognition of Hayti and Liberia; thank the good people of the North for their aid so freely extended to the freedmen in a thousand ways; thank that portion of the Republican party led by Messrs. CHASE, GREELEY, SUMNER and others, for its efforts to secure to the colored man his rights through congressional action; declare that any colored man who will not do for another colored what he would for a white man under similar circumstances is unworthy of respect; express the opinion that it is not for the interest of the colored people of the State to crowd too much into the cities, and advise them to remain at their old homes unless important reasons exist for removing, labor on the farms and elsewhere, earn money and buy a little land, live temperately, honestly, and industriously, and educate themselves and their children as much as they can.

The chief thing done by the Convention, however, was the adoption of an address to the State Constitutional Convention and to the Legislature, which meets in November. It was prepared by a committee selected from the meeting, and the work was well done,—no white man could have done it better. We give the document entire:

To the Constitutional Convention of North Carolina and the Legislature to Assemble thereafter:

Assembled as delegates from different portions of the State of North Carolina and representing a large body of the colored population, we most respectfully and humbly beg leave to present to you, and through you to the people of the State, something of our situation and our wants as a people.

Formerly disclaiming all wish to forestall your action or to dictate in the solemn and important duties which have been intrusted to you in this critical period, and confiding in your justice, wisdom and patriotism to guard the interests of all classes, and more particularly of that class which, from their helpless condition, will most need your just and kind consideration, we but exercise the right guaranteed to the humblest citizen in thus petitioning.

It is with reverent and grateful acknowledgment of the Divine power and interposition, that we accept the precious boon of freedom, resulting as it has from a prolonged and sanguinary struggle between two great powers; and finally decreed as it has been by the national will, we look upon it as the evidence to see the decree ratified by the whole people of this State.

Though it was impossible for us to be indifferent spectators of such a struggle, you will do us the justice to admit that we have remained throughout obedient and quiet, acting with such prudence as has been assigned us, and calmly waiting upon Providence. Our brethren have fought on the side of the Union, while we have been obliged to serve in the camp, to build fortifications, and raise subsistence for the confederate army. Do you blame us that we have, meantime, prayed for the freedom of our race?

Just emerging from bondage, under which our race has groaned for two hundred and fifty years, and suffering from its consequent degradation, we are fully conscious that we possess no power to control legislation in our behalf, and that we must depend wholly upon moral appeal to the hearts and consciences of the people of our State.

Born upon the same soil, and brought up in an intimacy of relationship unknown to any other state of society, we have formed attachments for the race which must be as enduring as life, and we can conceive of no reason that our God-bestowed freedom should ever sever the kindly ties which have so long united us.

We are fully conscious that we cannot long expect the presence of Government agents, or of the troops, to secure us against evil treatment from unreasonable prejudice and unjust men, yet we have no desire to look abroad for protection and sympathy. We know we must find both at home and among the people of our own state, and feel that our only safety, and only proper deportment, or suffer long and grievous evils. We acknowledge with gratitude that there are those among former slaveholders who have promptly conceded our freedom, and have manifested a just and humane disposition towards their former slaves. We think no such person, generally, will be found, but their working hands by desertion. At the same time, it must be known to you that many planters have either kept the freedmen from their homes, or have denied his freedom, or have grudgingly conceded it, and while doing so have expelled his family from the plantation which they perhaps had cleared and enriched by their toil through long and weary years. Some have withheld a just compensation, or have awarded such pay as would not support the laborer and his family. Others have driven their hands away without any pay at all, or even a share of the crops they have raised. Women with families of children, whose husbands have been sold, have died, or have wrongfully deserted them, have in some cases been driven away from the homes where, under slavery, they have spent a lifetime of hard service. Is it just or Christian thus to thrust out upon the cold world helpless families to perish? These grosser forms of evil we believe will be corrected themselves under wise and humane legislation, but we do most respectfully urge that some suitable measures may be adopted to prevent imscrupulous and avaricious employers from the practice of these and other similar acts of injustice towards our people.

Our first and engrossing concern in our new relation is, how we may provide shelter and an honorable subsistence for ourselves and families. You will say work; but without your just and due consideration, how shall we secure adequate compensation for our labor? If the friendly relations between us so much desire shall prevail, must there not be mutual consideration? As our longer degradation cannot add to your comfort, make us more obedient servants, or more useful citizens, will you not aid us by wise and just legislation to elevate ourselves?

We desire education for our children, that they may be made useful in all the relations of life. We most earnestly desire to have the disabilities under which we formerly labored removed, and to have all the oppressive laws which make unjust discriminations on account of race or color wiped from the statutes of the State. We invoke your protection for the sanctity of our family relations. Is this asking too much? We most respectfully and earnestly pray that some provision may be made for the care of the great number of orphan children, and the helpless and infirm, who, by the new order of affairs, will be thrown upon the world without protection. Also that you will favor by some timely and wise measures, the reunion of families which have long been broken up by war or by the operations of slavery.

Though associated with many memories of suffering, as well as of enjoyment we have always loved our homes, and dread, as the worst of evils, a forcible separat on from them. Now that freedom and a new career are before us, we love this land and people more than ever before. Here we have toiled and suffered; in this land we will remain unless forcibly driven away.

Finally, praying for such encouragement to our industry as the proper regulation of the hours of labor and the providing of the means of protection against rapacious and cruel employers, and for the other objects of just claims, we commit our cause into your hands, invoking heaven's choicest blessings upon your deliberations and upon the State.

J. H. HARRIS, Chairman.
JOHN R. GOOD,
GEORGE A RUE,
ISHAM SWEET,
J. J. ANSOLPH, jr., Committee.

There will be found in this address nothing said about "the right of self-protection in the ballot,"—the question of suffrage is not even referred to, except in the most incidental way. But, starting out with the admission which covers the whole case, that they have "just emerged from bondage under which our race has groaned for two hundred years," and that they are "suffering from its consequent degradation," they declare that their "first and engrossing concern is how we may provide shelter and honorable subsistence for ourselves and families." They next speak of their social condition and relations, marriage, education, the poor and infirm, and "the reunion of families which have long been broken up by war or the operations of slavery." With a touching reference to "the many memories of suffering as well as of enjoyment," they pray "finally," as the sum of their wants and rights, "for such encouragement to our industry as the proper "regulation of the hours of labor and the providing of the means of protection against "rapacious and cruel employers, and the collection of just claims."

The omission of any reference to the right to vote, taken in connection with the language of the principal speaker, who named it as the last of the rights they "*must ultimately have*," is at least significant, and the whole proceedings evince a reasonableness and moderation worthy of imitation by those who, though pretending to much more, in fact know less of the wants and fitness of the negro than he does himself.

THE EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

This body, with whose proceedings we have kept the readers of the COMMERCIAL informed, through our special dispatches, is getting into a stage of the business which is interesting to the public mind. Bishop WILMER, who has been chosen a Bishop since the rebellion was in progress, has no power and acknowledges himself as such by the brethren of the same order. But here is the rub. His progress, so far, has not been according to the rules or canons of the Church, and besides, his conduct, in directing his clergy not to pray, according to the prayer book, for the President of the United States, has given offense to the staunch loyalty of the Church. Difficulties arise from both these sources.

The tender bishops, though generally sufficiently uncompromising in relation to the canons, were getting along smoothly with the case, carefully avoiding the Scylla of politics on the one hand and the Charybdis of canons on the other. But in the lower House, a stiff gale of loyalty set in that creates a lively scene on the bosom of the deep. The half made bishop who was going smoothly through the Upper House, is having a rough passage in the Commons. Our friend, Mr. BRUNOT, *semper fidelis*—always true to the country—has happily returned from his European tour in time to take his part in this interesting case. He takes his stand on the canons, regulating the choice and consecration of bishops, which, he maintains, have been violated in this case. The Rev. Dr. VINTON, of New York, Dr. GOODWIN, of Philadelphia, and others, concur in this view, and in the corresponding effort to maintain both the ecclesiastical order and the manly dignity of the Episcopal Church.

How the affair will be settled remains for the event to reveal. We sincerely wish, as we have often expressed it, the churches were all united again, and would bring their influence to the pacification of the country. But we cannot, nevertheless, see that their wholesome influence in the country would be augmented, or the esteem of the people for them be enhanced, if in effecting the reunion, they trampled upon their own established principles, and allowed wrong-doers and schismatics to have the entire adjustment according to their own wishes.

BREVET MAJOR GEN. J. B. KIDDOO.

We hail with decided approbation the promotion of this gallant and meritorious young officer to be a Major General by brevet, to rank from October 5. General KIDDOO has made for himself a record with which he may well be satisfied. After the firing upon Fort Sumter, he was among the first young men in Pittsburgh to offer his services to the government in putting down the rebellion, and served through the three months' service as a private, in the company raised by the lamented General HAYS, of this city. On his return home he became interested in the raising of a three years' regiment, of which he was to be Lieutenant Colonel; but not liking the delay incident to such work, he again enlisted as a private in the 63d regiment, commanded by his favorite officer, Gen. HAYS. After carrying a musket for fifteen months, he was promoted to the Lieutenant Colonelcy of a nine months regiment, of which he was soon after promoted to be Colonel. On being mustered out with his regiment, he was examined by the Gen. CASEY Board, passed as a major of the first class and assigned to the 6th regiment of colored troops. Soon after, the Board ordered Major KIDDOO before them for re-examination, when they passed him as a colonel of the first class, and he was assigned to the command of the 22d colored regiment. His regiment was assigned to General BUTLER'S command, and participated in all the operations near Richmond. It was distinguished for its good fighting qualities and the splendid discipline of its young commander. On the 27th of October last, Colonel KIDDOO was badly wounded, in a severe engagement near Fair Oaks, and for a long time his life was despaired of. Although nearly a year has elapsed since then, it was within but a day or two that he had sufficiently recovered to walk with the aid of a cane alone. At the close of the war he tendered his resignation, as he had offered his services to aid in putting down the rebellion, and that being accomplished he felt that his duty was ended; but his resignation was not only not accepted, but he was brevetted brigadier-general, and assigned to command the Post of Harrisburg, on which duty he still remains. General KIDDOO is a modest, unassuming young man, and served his country with a praiseworthy zeal and devotion through a conscientious application of duty. His services and sufferings in behalf of the great cause justly entitle him to the promotions he has received, and to the lasting gratitude of the people.

THE PRESIDENT'S POLICY DEVELOPED IN MISSISSIPPI.

President JOHNSON, through Governor SHARKEY, has "put his foot down" in Mississippi. This was brought about by the opposition manifested to admitting negroes in that State to the witness-box, and to placing them on an equality with the white man as to suing and being sued. The Governor, prompted, no doubt, by President JOHNSON, sets forth the precise point where ANDREW JOHNSON has put his foot down, thus: "The late constitutional amendment, which abolishes slavery, and in declaring that the negro shall be protected in his person and property, establishes principles which, of themselves, entitle the negro to sue and be sued, and as a necessary incident to such right, that he is made competent as a witness, according to the laws of evidence of this State."

Here we have the true definition of the President's policy, and we commend it to those persons who hastily asserted that it did not protect negroes in their personal rights. It will be perceived that the whole thing is embraced in the position, that when slavery went down, the slave code went with it, if it is said suffrage ensues consequently, we remark, then the negroes of all the Northern States, with one or two exceptions, have been kept from the polls illegally. The policy of the President as we see it developed, places the negroes of the South substantially on a footing with the negroes of Pennsylvania,—and no man here has stepped forward with a proposition to alter his condition by conferring on him the right to vote.

Against the policy of the President, admitting negroes to the witness stand, there is a rebellious spirit in Mississippi, and the contest will be watched with deep interest.

THE UPSHOT OF THE CONFIDENCE GAME.

The election in Pennsylvania has proved that the Union mansion is still occupied by its old tenants. The sham Democracy, which has for a month or two been trying to get in at the back doors and cellar windows, and has been sticking "To LET" on the front every dark night, retired from the neighborhood on Tuesday evening, and has resumed the wise attitude of waiting for something to turn up.

The military strategy of the opposition was too bare and bungling to deceive old soldiers. Their new-made Union colors had evidently seen no service. The old Union men have possession of the situation still, and intend to hold it for the good of the country. If the Democracy are disposed honestly to take a share of the mansion, and to behave themselves properly, there is room for them in the house. But they must not try any more to drive out the old residents by nuisances, nor scream from garret and cellar windows that the old folks have cleared out. If they will now peaceably join with the Union men and support Union measures, we will try to forget their bad conduct during the war, and after.

ON THE day of the election in our State, the New York *Tribune* indulged in a doleful strain of apprehension in view of the result. It talked for the dozenth time about "the unnecessary essay of Mr. CESSNA," as Chairman of the Union State Committee,—which we believe was mainly a rehash of the worse than "unnecessary" speech of THADDEUS STEVENS. We hope that the *Tribune* feels better now. Let us assure it that the people paid very little attention to "essays" of any kind,—with their eyes and ears open they judged for themselves, acted accordingly, and won a victory, the only significance of which is the President has been sustained. Let the *Tribune* look to New York. Pennsylvania has taken care of herself.

THE PRESIDENT'S SPEECH TO THE NEGROES.—The speech made by President JOHNSON to the District of Columbia colored regiment, is exciting the warmest approbation on all hands—excepting, of course, the Democrats, who have been professing to be his partienlar supporters. He called them his "friends," and spoke of them as his "countrymen," terms which the copperheads cannot swallow. It is pretty clear that if ANDREW JOHNSON has gone over to the Democrats he keeps right on talking and acting just as he did before, and that he is perfectly indifferent to their old prejudices.

IT is understood that STEPHENS, REAGAN, CAMPBELL, TRENHOLM and CLARK, have been paroled by the President, with the understanding that they will return to their several States, there to labor faithfully for the restoration of the Union, on a basis which will allow of the admission of Southern members to seats in Congress, including the eradication of slavery, and the code thereof. They are not pardoned, but let out to work.

WHO CARES?—The failure of "a leading and well-known New York beef speculator, one who has been in the habit of buying from seven to eight hundred head per week," is announced. His liabilities are put at $100,000. May he have plenty of company.

PETITIONS from the South in behalf of DAVIS continue to be sent to the President, who, however, appears not to be much moved thereby. The report that DAVIS is to be tried shortly at Fortress Monroe, is renewed, for good reasons, we trust.

GENERAL BANKS has been duly nominated by the Republicans of the Sixth District of Massachusetts. He received nine votes more than a majority, on the third ballot.

MARRIED:

TOWNSEND—BRADFORD—On Thursday, October 12th, 1865, by Rev. B. C. Critchlow, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. CHARLES C. TOWNSEND to JULIET S., only daughter of Benjamin Rush Bradford, Esq., both of New Brighton, Pa.

DIED:

KITTS—On September 23d, in the 72d year of her age, MARIA FENNELL, wife of Job Kitts, of Fayette city, Pa.

ANDERSON—On yesterday afternoon, at 1½ o'clock, MRS. ELIZA E., wife of James E. Anderson, in the 33d year of her age.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from her late residence, 45 Fayette street, Pittsburgh, SATURDAY MORNING, 14th inst., at 10 o'clock. 2t

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ALLEGHENY PILOTS TAKE NOTICE.—In the District Court of Allegheny county, on the trial of the case of Hays, et. al. vs. Cochran, James Mathews, captain of the new boat Dan Rush built, testified that THOMAS MURPHY was one of the very best pilots on the Allegheny river.

Pilots on the Allegheny take notice and fall in.
oct13-2t MANY PILOTS.

TENANT FARM OIL COMPANY.—A meeting of the stockholders of this Company, will be held on the 20th inst., at 2 o'clock, P. M., at Templar's Hall, Fourth street. Punctual attendance is requested, as business of importance will be laid before the stockholders. By order of the Board of Directors.
oct13-It-13-16 18 20) ISAAC NOCK, Secretary.

50 DRUMS CAUSTIC SODA.
100 tons Soda Ash.
10 " Sal Soda, and all Chemicals for Glass Manufacturers and Oil Refiners. For sale by
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The distinguished Poet and Humorist, will lecture under the auspices of the Tennyson Club, at

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WANTED—By M'Mullen & Bro., of McKeesport, two JOUR TAILORS. Good workmen will find steady employment. The highest wages will be paid. Apply immediately to McMULLEN & BRO., Merchant Tailors, McKeesport, Pa. oct11-6t

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DESIRABLE CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE.—The property now occupied by the subscriber, as a COOPER'S SHOP, in the Fourth Ward, Pittsburgh, having a front of 41 feet 9 inches on Second street, and 100 feet deep to Cooper's Alley. For terms, &c., inquire at Kirkpatrick & Herbert's, No. 243 Liberty street, or of the subscriber on the premises. ROBERT BOLE.
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AT REDUCED PRICES,
7 by 20 inches OIL ENGINES, full 12 horse power, with boilers 11 feet long 32 inches diameter by
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SALE OF FORFEITED STOCK.—There will be sold, between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock A. M., on MONDAY, the 16th day of October, 1865, at public auction, at the office of the Treasurer, in the city of Pittsburgh, Pa., unless sooner redeemed by payment of the assessment and interest on each share, due January 4, 1865, with interest and charges thereon, 3,984 shares in the Medora Mining Company, and all the shares standing in the name of each of the assessment above referred to, according to the terms of the charter and laws of Pennsylvania. Eastern stockholders may redeem their stock, as above provided, by payment to F. K. Wimrath, Esq., treasurer again, 324 in all, at any time prior to the close of business on FRIDAY, the 13th of October next, or to the Treasurer before the sale. By order of the Board of Directors of Medora Mining Company.
ROBT. J. STONEY, President.
Secretary and Treasurer Medora Mining Company.
September 6, 1865. sep6-tod2t

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HOUSE AND TWO LOTS FOR SALE.—Having a front on Forbes street of 40 feet and extending back 80 feet 8½ inches to a 10 feet street. On one of the lots is erected a two story brick dwelling, tastefully arranged, six rooms, finished attic, hot and cold water. The yard is enclosed with a neat fence, and planted with fruit trees. Also, has a commanding view of the entire Sixth Ward and surrounding country. Is offered low. Possession given soon. Apply to oct12 B. McLEAN & CO.

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And three story brick store situated on the corner of Sandusky and Lacock streets, in the city of Allegheny, Pa. Terms at sale. oct2-3t

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Of a very desirable grain and stock farm, situated in Sugar Creek township, Wayne county, Ohio, containing 163 acres—130 of it under good cultivation, balance in choice timber. The improvements are a good two-story frame dwelling house, with ten rooms, recently refitted; brick wash and spring house, with a spring of running water at the door; large bank barn, carriage house, sheep stables, and all the necessary buildings; an orchard of choice fruit in bearing condition. This farm is worthy the attention of any one in quest of a choice farm. The location is excellent—3½ miles from Orrville, a station on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad and within one mile of Dalton, a nice country village, where there is a cally mail. Churches, stores, and mills all within fifteen minutes drive of the farm. Will sell on accommodating terms. Address the undersigned.
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sep5-1m J. C. BINGHAM.

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The Daily Commercial

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1865.

GENERAL HOOKER'S MARRIAGE.—A topic in high military and social circles is the marriage of Major General Hooker to Miss Olivia Groesbeck, of Cincinnati, sister of Hon. William S. Groesbeck, formerly representative in Congress from that city. This is not the lady of the same name who was selected to lead off the dancing at the grand ball given to the Prince of Wales in 1860, as the partner of His Royal Highness. But she is a woman of noble beauty and address—quite as likely to make a lasting impression for personal loveliness and grace as her younger relative. Some years ago she visited Europe, and was in London awhile. Of the impression she left there, one little incident tells the tale. An admirer of the Duke of Wellington sent him some cases of Longworth's Sparkling Catawba. He wished to know where such a delicious a wine was made. "Cincinnati, my Lord Duke," was the reply. "Cincinnati!" rejoined the hero of Waterloo, "Ah! that's the place Miss Groesbeck came from."

Thus it is obvious that Major General Hooker is not the first hero whom the belle of Ohio had captivated.

COTTON PROSPECT.—A New Orleans letter says: A mild temperature and gentle breezes, with some exceptions, attended our rains, but these have been so long and continuous as to cause irreparable damage. The last week the rotten cotton balls have fallen in great numbers from the stem, and the seed within the pod has sprouted so badly as to make the ginning difficult if not impossible. From all resulting causes of the rains, the worm, the rust, the rot, balling, sprouting, staining, the damage sustained is probably not less than one-third the entire crop in the Mississippi valley. In Texas, where the worm first made its appearance, the estimated damage is still greater—say 75,000 bales out of the 180,000 planted. The latest estimated receipts at Galveston, of both old and new crops, is 130,000 to 150,000 and most of the Texas cotton goes to that city for export. This year as formerly, it is seeking direct shipment to Europe.

THE Boston *Traveller* says that the people of South Carolina dread the disbandment of colored troops even worse than they do their presence as armed soldiers. When disbanded they will probably return to their old homes filled with new ideas of their rights, and it is feared that they will constitute a dangerous element of the population.

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COUNTY FAIR.

ALLEGHENY COUNTY

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

TENTH

ANNUAL FAIR,

—AT—

IRON CITY PARK,

October 18, 19 and 20, 1865,

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

The Board of Managers announce to the public that they have leased for a term of years the COMMODIOUS and NATURALLY BEAUTIFUL GROUNDS known as the

Iron City Park!

Situated at Lawrenceville, near the city line.

Large and Well Arranged

BUILDINGS

Have been erected for the display of

MECHANIC ARTS, IMPLEMENTS, FRUITS, FLOWERS, AND VEGETABLES; HORSES, CATTLE, SHEEP, SWINE, AND POULTRY.

LIBERAL ARRANGEMENTS

Have been made to insure

Entire Satisfaction

To exhibitors and spectators.

LARGE PREMIUMS

ARE OFFERED,

And the display in all departments promises to be

EXTENSIVE AND IMPOSING.

HORSES.

The managers have provided a suitable

Course for the Display of Horses,

And, in addition to the tests specified in the Premium Lists, the track will be open each day for EQUESTRIAN PERFORMANCES, under the direction of the Committee.

THE GROUNDS ARE

Supplied with Pure Water

Hay and Straw

FURNISHED GRATIS.

GRAIN AT COST.

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CITY MATTERS.

Washington and Jefferson College.

The first session of the consolidated college has opened most propitiously. More than fifty new students have entered the Academical Department at Canonsburg, Pa., and the addition at Washington, Pa., is ever eighty, while others are still coming in. The Washington *Tribune* says: "The Trustees of this institution, met in this place on Monday, the 10th inst., and unanimously elected the Rev. Edsall Ferrier, of Florida, N. Y., to the Professorship of English Literature and History in the branch of the college located here. The qualifications of this gentleman are attested in the strongest manner from the most reliable quarters. His acceptance and speedy entrance upon the duties of his chair are confidently expected. In this connection it is proper to say that Professor George R. Vose, lately chosen for the chair of Mathematics and Engineering in the Scientific Department, has been in his place since the commencement of the present term. He has already made a fine impression upon such of our citizens as have formed his acquaintance, and especially upon the officers and students of the college, fully sustaining the high scholarly reputation which has preceded him alike from Brown University, his Alma Mater, and from the place of his successful and approved labor as a teacher of the first class. We are pleased to learn that Professor Brackenridge, of the University of Indiana, has indicated his acceptance of the chair of Mathematics and Astronomy in the Academical Department at Canonsburg. This will add much strength to the Faculty, and give additional confidence to the public. We are further informed that the Rev. Robert J. Breckinridge, D. D., who has been elected to the Presidency of the college, expects to visit both its branches at the close of next week. He will reach Canonsburg on Friday, the 20th instant, and come over to Washington on the following day. He will spend the Sabbath here, and preach in the morning in the First Presbyterian Church. He will return to Canonsburg on Monday, and after spending a day or two there, pursue his journey Eastward. At both places he will receive a most cordial greeting. His eminent abilities, his high character and his patriotic and useful labors for the country, in the late crisis, inspire the general wish on the part of the friends of the College that he may consent to accept its headship."

EXCITING GAME OF CRICKET.

The Match Between the Olympic Club, of this City, and the La Grange Club, of Washington, Pa.—The Olympic Victorious.

The return match between the Olympic Cricket Club, of this city, and the La Grange Club, of Washington, Pa., was played yesterday on the West Common, Allegheny. About two thousand spectators were in attendance, and great interest was evinced in the game. The contest commenced about ten o'clock in the morning, and continued until four in the afternoon, resulting in the success of the Olympic Club, with nine wickets to fall. The play of Messrs. Jacobus and Whitesides, of the Olympic, was excellent. Captain Griffith, of the La Grange, (who was formerly connected with the Provost Guard in this city,) made a good score, and showed himself to be a cricketer of more than ordinary merit. The following is the score of the game:

LAGRANGE CLUB.

First Innings.		*Second Innings.*	
McCabe b Paxton	4		
Whitesides c Mitchell	30	Not out	10
Cameron b Spriggs	8		
Jacobus b Mitchell	31		
Y. m g b Spriggs	0		
Brown b Spriggs	1	b Mitchell	4
Logan c Milligan b Mitchell	1		
Read c Milligan b Spriggs	3		
Kramer b Spriggs	2	Not out	3
Bryan b Mitchell	0		
Laughlin b Spriggs	8		
Byes 9, Leg byes 1, Wides 1	11	Byes 1, Wides 1	2
Total	111	Total	19
Grand total	130		

Umpire for LaGrange Club—Mr. Thomas Davis.
Umpire for Olympic Club—Dr. Wm. Childs.
Scorer for LaGrange Club—Mr. H. Marker.
Scorer for Olympic Club—Mr. Joseph Hemlup.

Upon the conclusion of the game the members of the Olympic Club escorted their guests to Capt. Kennedy's residence, on Smithfield street, where they partook of an excellent supper, and in the evening visited the Theatre. The LaGrange Club left for wheeling in the two o'clock train this morning, *en route* for their homes, apparently much pleased with the kind reception that had received, although slightly disappointed in their defeat. Another match between the two clubs will probably take place during next month.

THE FORTHCOMING COUNTY FAIR.

Progress and Preparations—Dining-Rooms—Agricultural Implements—Seales—Pumps—Sorghum Apparatus—Stalls for Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs—Sewing Machines—Floral and Artists' Hall—Roads and Footpaths, &c., &c.

The preparations going on at Iron City Park for the forthcoming annual Fair of the Allegheny County Agricultural Society have already been noticed in the COMMERCIAL. In view of the time drawing near for the opening of the exhibition, our reporter paid another visit to the ground yesterday, to see what progress had been made in the arrangements.

THE MAIN DINING-ROOM.

The main dining-saloon is being built by Peter Zimmerman & Co. It is 96 feet long, and 30 feet wide, with an entrance measuring 8 feet square, and a kitchen 24 feet square. The kitchen has a well sunk on one side, the supply of which is perennial. There will certainly be no scarcity of good spring water at the fair, as there are several capacious wells on the ground.

THE SMALL DINING SALOON.

The same carpenters are erecting the small dining saloon, which measures 85 feet in length and 21 feet in width. This edifice is very convenient to the entrance to the grounds.

FLYING HORSES.

The building for the Flying Horses has been erected by the same carpenters, and preparations for the "fly" are in progress. The edifice is 32 feet in diameter, has twelve sides, and is 20 feet high. This gives promise to the young people, and especially the ladies, that they will have ample means of amusement.

WHEELER & WILSON'S SEWING MACHINES, &C.

One of the most interesting features promised in the fair will be the octagon establishment in which will be exhibited Wheeler & Wilson's Sewing Machine, Dalton's Knitting Machine, Reed's Patent Button Attaching Machine, and the celebrated Button-hole Worker. Mr. Ephraim Love is erecting the building, which is sixteen feet in diameter and eight feet four inches from the floor to the ceiling. The roof will have a coping of two feet, which will serve as an excellent shelter from the weather in case of storm. The location is an advantageous one, being very convenient both to the entrance to the grounds and the dining saloons. Mrs. Tom Thumb and her miniature machine will form an exhibition and curiosity, and our friends from the country will find in it at least food for reflection. Mr. E. F. Carpenter, the agent, is determined to make a display which will combine the attractive and the useful.

GROVER & BAKER'S SEWING MACHINES.

Further to the right of the entrance, Mr. William Forrest has erected a fine octagon building for the exhibition of Grover & Baker's Sewing Machine, for which Wm. Chatoney is the agent. This is also to be in diameter, and 8 feet 4 inches in height. The various styles of the chain stitch sewing machines will be exhibited.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

Messrs. Beckham & Long, and Mr. Joseph T. F. Wright, editor of the *National Agriculturist*, acting as agents for improved implements for agricultural purposes, will have on the ground a vast array of articles, of all descriptions. The collection will embrace, as we understand, a fine display of mowing machines from the hands of various inventors.

SCALES AND WEIGHING MACHINES.

Messrs. Forsyth, Taylor & Co. intend to exhibit a large and various lot of scales of every size, capable of weighing hay, horses, cattle, men, women and children. Some of these articles have already arrived.

PUMPS.

Mr. J. O. Joyce, an inventor and manufacturer, of Dayton, Ohio, will take possession of one of the magnificent wells which have been sunk on the ground, for the purpose of exhibiting a number of the various kinds of pumps for all purposes, and their powers.

SORGHUM MACHINERY.

The process of making sugar will be demonstrated. There will be a full set of Sorghum machinery on the ground, worked by horse-power. The mill will be from the Clark Sorghum Machine Company, and the evaporator will be Cook's patent. We expect the *modus operandi* of obtaining cheap sugar to be made perfectly plain.

TILE MAKING.

We understand that a machine for turning out improved tiles for roofing and other purposes with the most wonderful speed, will also be on the ground, but whose it is we did not learn.

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR STOCK.

About one hundred stalls have been fitted up for the accommodation of horses, so that persons desirous to trot out their fine animals will have a fair opportunity of showing them up. One hundred more stalls have been fitted up for the comfortable housing of such cattle, sheep and hogs as may be presented for exhibition

THE ROADS.

Mr. R. Morton, who has bestowed considerable time and labor upon the roads and footpaths about the ground, reports that the carriage road is finished; that the Trotting ring is being pushed to completion energetically, and the footpaths around the ground are all completed. In none of the previous years has the weather been favorable during the fair, the vast multitudes of people who will visit the Iron City Park will have a happy time.

SCARCITY OF MACHINERY.

Owing to the briskness of business in all our machine shops, the prospect of having an extensive display of machinery is very gratifying. Judge Clark has been exerting himself in reference to this particular department, but with little success.

The general success of the State and county fairs throughout the country, last month, augurs well for that of the Allegheny County Agricultural Society. There will doubtless be a great accession to our population during the days of our fair, and it is hoped that no person will be allowed to leave Pittsburgh without seeing the thousand and one curiosities in the form of manufactures, which it will be neither convenient nor possible to have on exhibition at Iron City Park.

The ladies will have ample opportunity to see nature in all its loveliness, and art in its loftiest approaches to perfection in the exhibition of Floral and Artists' Hall, the erection of which has just been commenced and will be speedily finished. Now that Gen. Grant has come and gone, and the election is over, let our people give their attention to the Fair.

The advertisement of the Fair will be found in another colemn.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

10 CENTS REWARD---FOR INformation concerning a steamboat called the Fort Pitt, whereof J. M. K. is Master, H. H., clerk, and W. M. barkeeper, and which started for Oil City, Tuesday, the 5th inst. When last seen she was being towed by a one horse skiff. Nothing having been heard of her for some days, it is feared she and her crew have been sucked in and lost in the maze of oil derricks. Any information concerning her will be thankfully received. oct3-1t

WHEAT. A few cars prime winter Wheat arriving and for sale by D. WALLACE, oct3 353 Liberty street.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

BANKERS' AND BROKERS' BOARD.

A. A. CARRIER, Pres't. | J. M. TIERNAN, V. P.
S. S. BRYAN, SECRETARY.

Meets Daily at 10½ O'Clock, A. M.

TRANSACTIONS OCT. 12, 1865, AT THE BOARD.

	Bid.	Asked.
United States 6's 1881	107 50	108 00
United States 5-20's	103 50	104 00
United States 5-20's, new	101 75	.....
United States 10-40's	99 00	.....
United States Certificates	99 00	.....
Gold	1 43	1 45
Allegheny County 6's	72 50	.....
Pittsburgh 6's	69 00	.....
Connellsville Railroad Bonds	80 50	.....
Allegheny Gas	31 00	.....
Cash Insurance	.....	60 00
Eureka Insurance	51 00	.....
Western Insurance	51 00	.....
Connellsville RR. Stock	9 00	.....
Do Interest	9 75	.....
Exchange Bank	85 00	.....
First National Bank Allegheny	.....	122 00
Fourth National Bank Allegheny	.....	130 00
Allegheny and Pittsburgh Oil	9 25	.....
Columbia Oil	33 00	60 00
Eldorado	.....	70
Oil Basin	6 00	6 50
Oil Creek and Cherry Run	1 75	1 90
Ohio Valley	23	25
Pittsburgh and New York	.....	55
Rose	23	27
Tarr, Story and Cherry Run	.....	22
Western Pennsylvania	.....	1 50
Ralston	1 00	1 25
Warren and Venango	2 50	.....
Phoenix	.....	1 75
Pittsburgh & Steubenville Railroad	.....	1 00
U. S. Telegraph	60 00	75 00

THURSDAY, October 12, P. M.

The advance in Governments constitute the principal feature at the Board this forenoon. For United States 6's of '81, 107½ was bid, and for 5-20's, 103½; 10-40's, 101½; and for Certificates, 98 was bid. These bids are considerably below the New York rates. The late European news by the China is of a highly favorable character both as regards the business and financial interests of this country. The price of American cotton has advanced, and Five-Twenties appreciated two per cent., which has stiffened prices on this side.

—The dividend of three per cent. by the Oil City and Pittsburgh Company, just announced, is the third since its organization. With a small capital and under good management, it is getting along smoothly, as well as profitably to the stockholders. The Good Intent Oil Company announces its eighth dividend. The stockholders have received back, in the shape of dividends from this Company, the full amount of the paid up capital, and have a good and steady investment left. These companies, as well as several others, are keenly watched over by J. K. Morange, Esq., and their continued prosperity shows what good management will do in an oil company.

—The only sales at the board this morning were 45 shares of Ross at 28c, and 1,000 shares Pittsburgh and New York at 55c, on four months credit.

—The following statement exhibits the September earnings of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad Company, as well as a comparison with the same period of the previous year. There is included in this abstract the sum of $7,000 for Government transportation:

	1865.	1864.	Inc.	Dec.
From freights	$189,181 94	$87,728 48	$91,753 00	.....
Passengers	28,270 04	20,1978 81	27,291 23	.....
Express matter	14,502 49	5,300 00	9,202 49	.....
Mails	2,833 33	2,625 00	.....	.....
Rent of railway	7,083 34	4,083 34	.....	.....
Miscellaneous	2,233 23	2,544 01	.....	$310 78
Total	$399,405 58	$875,359 64	$84,398 72	$310 78

Earnings from
Jan. 1 to Sep. 30 $6,205,437 03 $1,812,475 97 $1,491,961 06 .....

—The early purchases of dealers for the Fall trade are over, business having been active and profitable; but the reports from the country and the high prices of commodities favor the opinion that the balance of the season's trade will not be so heavy. Each and every one will find it incumbent to economize as much as possible—buying and consuming no more than is absolutely necessary. This probable retrenchment in productive pursuits may give to capitalists time for operations in the stock market. Already it is understood that some of our commission houses have received considerable orders to buy from outside parties. The continued issue of National Bank notes is a powerful stimulus to speculation.

—Coal stocks in New York and Philadelphia are attracting increased interest among investors and speculative operators. The coal companies are now having a run of prosperity similar to that of last year, when gold was at its highest premium. The mines are producing to their full capacity, and the only limit to their sales is in the transportation facilities of the roads. The extension of steam navigation and of iron manufactures has created a demand for coal equal to that of the most active period of the war, and with the current high prices for coal, there would seem to be no reason why the mines should not realize handsome profits. The collapse consequent upon the sudden close of the war, and the strikes of the operatives, have produced a decline in the Pennsylvania product for the expired portion of the year of 1,330,000 tons. The increased demand for maritime and manufacturing purposes has therefore found the markets comparatively bare of coal, and, as in other products, it will require time to bring up the supply to the unusual wants of the markets, prices in the meantime remain high.

The Upper Island Oil Company, of Philadelphia, yesterday declared a dividend of three per cent on the capital stock of the company, clear of State tax, payable on and after the 17th inst.

The Richmond *Republic* says—There has been no important variation in the buying rates of Southern bank notes since our list of quotations was published. To-day brokers quote North Carolina notes as follows:

Charlotte, 25c; Miners' and Planters', 30c; Lexington, 25c; Bank of North Carolina, Cape Fear, 35c; Farmers', 30c; Merchants', 80c; Roxboro', 35c; Wadesboro', Wilmington and Commerce, 20c; Commercial, 20c; Greensboro Mutual, 15c; Washington, Fayetteville, Clarendon and Yanceyville, 15c.

PITTSBURGH GENERAL MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY COMMERCIAL, FRIDAY, October 13, 1865.

BUSINESS—We have nothing of very interesting to note. Dullness appears to control the market in most departments. The receipts of produce being light, increased the confidence of holders who were inclined to hold out for the highest figures. The weather continues very pleasant, resembling May far more than October. The largest drawback on trade at present is the low stage of water in the Ohio and Allegheny rivers. Freights to all points are plenty. The present stage of water prevents boats from running. How long this will continue we have no means of ascertaining. We hope to announce a movement among the boats, and a rise of water before long. Bacon rules firm with a fair demand for most descriptions. The stock has been reduced down to a small figure, and that consists of shoulders and sides." Our packers have yet made no movement in regard to packing the coming season. The present figures will no doubt prevent a number of packers from packing here. Last year, it was said that it took a mint of money to purchase hogs. It will take several millions to perform the same operation the present one. In the meantime, the readers of the COMMERCIAL shall be fully advised in regard to all matters pertaining to this "hoggish" piece of business. Flour was firm, with a steady trade demand, as usual, and an advancing market. Dealers for city trade take hold sparingly. The export demand is also quiet. Grain was in fair demand, caused principally by light supplies. It would be difficult to dispose of round parcels at the present prices. Wool—The receipts are on the increase; prices, however, are very irregular. Ours was never noted for being much of a wool market. Below will be found the sales that came under our notice:

ASHES.—The market remains steady, with a fair local demand for the various descriptions. The largest inquiry for pearls, with sales of 6 tons at 9c. The market contains a fair supply.

WHISKY.—The market was not very active. The sales were confined to small lots to meet the wants of the home market. Sales of 12 bbls to the trade at $2 28 per gallon.

FLOUR.—The market remains steady with a fair local demand; holders were firm in their views. The receipts being light favored holders; buyers of round lots were disposed to hold off—the present figures don't suit their views. Among the sales we note the following: Extra family—sales of 200 bbls, winter wheat, at $9 75@10; 100 do at $9 75; 70 bbls at $10; sales extra family from spring wheat; sales 130 bbls in lots at $10@10 25, 75 bbls do the terms were withheld.

RYE FLOUR.—The demand is improving. Sales of 25 bbls from store at $7 25 ₱ bbl.

SEEDS.—The sales for some time past were restricted owing to limited supplies of the various kinds of pumps for all purposes, and their powers.

Timothy. Prices were nominal.

GRAIN.—The market is improving, with a fair amount of receipts. Sales 40 bbls at $1 25 ₱ bus, to go out of the market.

OATS.—The market was steady, with a good demand. Among the sales were the following: 50 bbls at 66@66 5c; 120 bbls, 85c; 50, and 400 bbls choice, 87.

GRAIN—There was a fair trade demand for the various articles that comes under this head. Prices continue to be influenced by the receipts. The supply on the market not being large holders were generally firm. Wheat a prime article was in fair demand. Sales 2 cars 2 Milwaukee club at $2 22, and depot, small lots of Pennsylvania red sold from wagon at $1 sketch for spring. Oats—The demand is improving under light receipts. Among the sales were 500 bush, in two lots, at 53c; 150 do at depot at 56c; 300 do at 52c. Small sales were made from store at 55c. Barley—Small sales of Pennsylvania were made at $1@1 05; sales 1 car prime Western at $1 20. Rye—We did not learn of any transactions.

LIME—Steady, with further sales of 60 bbls at $2 25.

BACON—The market was firm with a good demand for home purposes. The supply in the market has been reduced by the late shipments. Sales—Shoulders, 7,000 lbs, at 20@20½c; Sides, sales of 5,000 lbs, ribbed, at 26@27c; no country lots offering.

LARD OIL—Like all other hog products was firm and in fair demand. Sales of 35 bbls, No. 1, at $2 30 ₱ gallon.

LARD—Steady; sales of 10 kegs, country, at 20c.

MESS PORK—There is nothing doing except in a retail way at $38 @ $39 ₱ bbl.

LEAD—We note further sales of 250 pigs at 12c.

CHEESE—The market remains firm with an active demand for the various kinds at full prices. Sales of 31 boxes, Goshen, at 24c; sales of 40 boxes, Hamburg, at 19c; 20 do, Factory, at 20@20½c, and 40 do, W. R., at 19c.

POTATOES—The active demand we have noticed for some time, has been continued with a fair amount of transactions. The sales of Jersey sweet, this season, were the largest we have ever reported; yesterday's operations were 150 bbls, at 2 25@4 50 per bbl; 100 do, at $3. Peach blows—Demand improving; sales 75 bbls, at $3@3 25, and 50 bbls, at $3 15 per barrel. The supply is increasing.

BUTTER—The receipts were barely sufficient to meet the wants of the market, hence prices rule high; sales 20 packages assorted, 30@38c; inferior sold at lower figures as per quality.

EGGS—Were scarce, and holders are enabled to obtain just such figures as they choose to demand; sales 5 bbls at 29c.

GROCERIES—The market was excited, and most holders were asking an advance. We omit figures in the present issue.

Coffee Trade of Rio Janeiro.

WRIGHT & CO.'S TELEGRAM.

RIO DE JANEIRO, September 8, 1865.

Total sales Coffee between steamers.....bags, 87,000
Sales coffee for U. S. between steamers..... do 27,000
Shipments Coffee to United States, same time..... do 58,000
Stock Coffee at date..... do 75,000
Price Coffee..... 7,000@7,900
Sales Flour between steamers.....barrels, 7,000
Stock Flour at date..... 20,000
Price Flour..... flat, 17@18,000
Exchange..... 24½@25
Freights..... 35

Coal at Cincinnati.

October 11.—Coal—The cool weather produced a good retail demand, and there was a firmer feeling in the market. Youghiogheny advanced to 25c, asked, and 26@28c, delivered, and Ohio river to 18c, afloat, and 24 @25c, delivered. The prospect for a rise in the river is not very good, and this is one cause of the firmness of the market.

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, FRIDAY, October 13, 1865.

BUSINESS in the Oil way was inactive. The sales were on a very limited scale, the market being in that condition that correct figures would be somewhat difficult to obtain, there being a wide difference between the views of buyers and sellers. Report states that orders have been received in Philadelphia to purchase on foreign account 15,000@20,000 barrels of Refined. Buyers are disposed to hold off, as their figures are limited, hoping to be able to purchase at lower figures than were current for some time past. The contest will be decided in favor of the one that holds out the longest. Refiners will be pretty certain to make no further contracts for future delivery until they have made the necessary purchases of Crude to supply the same. To an outsider it don't seem probab le that refiners can give way. The prospect of a decline in crude is certainly not very flattering, all things considered. The receipts of crude yesterday only amounted to 1,145 barrels. So far as relates to prices no change was perceptible. The sales exceed those of the previous day. Refined oil was steady, but not very active. We do not look for many large transactions until the refiners have filled previous contracts. When that is accomplished we may look for busy times. Tar—The market was not very active. Prices were nominal at $5 25@5 75 ₱ bbl. Benzole—Market quiet. Bonded quoted at 20@22c. Below will be found the sales that came under our notice:

CRUDE OIL—The market was steady, with a fair inquiry. Sales 100 bbls, 32c, packages returned; 200 do, 31c same conditions; 219 do, 31½c, without packages; 100 bbls, 36c, packages included. Sales 1,500 bbls, tank oil, the purchaser to take the same from tank, at 30c.

REFINED OIL—Market steady but not very active, the sales being confined to small parcels for home purposes, as follows: 25 bbls Free—delivered on cars, 50c; 250 bbls free, on the spot, 77c; 25 bbls do, 79c. Sales of bonded oil—200 bbls on the spot, 56c. The above sales exhibit a variety of prices, at all events.

Oil Receipts per Allegheny River.

A. L. Linton	273	Fisher Bro	280
J. Wilkins	42	J. Gallagher	550
Total			1,145

Oil Receipts Per Allegheny Valley R. R.
GOING EAST.

Lockhart & Frew, 57 barrels tar for Philadelphia.
Lockhart & Frew, 100 barrels refined oil for Philadelphia.
Globe Oil Company, 100 barrels refined oil for Philadelphia.
John Gracie & Co., 110 barrels refined oil for Philadelphia.
Wormser, Myers & Co., 52 barrels refined oil for Philadelphia.
P. Weisenberger, 300 barrels of refined oil for Philadelphia.
Wightman & Anderson, 100 barrels of refined oil for Philadelphia.
Forsyth Bro. & Co., 50 barrels of refined oil for Philadelphia.
Standard Oil Company, 436 barrels of refined oil for Philadelphia.
Alladdin Oil Company, 112 barrels of refined oil for New York.
National Refining and Storing Company, 43 barrels of refined oil for Reading.

ALLEGHENY LIVE STOCK MARKET.

ALLEGHENY CITY, October 12, 1865.

BUSINESS at these yards was inactive, with a good demand and a liberal amount of transactions. Prices were a shade higher. Cattle may be graded as follows: Common, $4 50@5 50 ₱ cwt; good Stock Cattle, $5 75@6 50; fair to good, $6 25@6 75; choice to extra, $7 25@8 25 ₱ cwt. The offerings at the various yards were large, and would probably reach some 1,500@1,800 head of the various descriptions. As usual, the principal demand was for the better qualities at fair prices. Taken altogether, prices were a shade higher. Advices from the East were altogether in favor of holders, who are never slow to make the proper use of such information. A portion of the drovers sold out, while others forwarded their stock East. Most of our city butchers laid in a good supply early. In the taking advantage of the market they rapidly filled well.

HOGS—Prime were very firm. Holders were asking pretty extravagant prices. Sales in small lots principally to butchers at $12 75 for small and $13 50@14 00 per cwt for good fat hogs. Prices rule extravagantly high in all the leading markets in the country.

SHEEP—The receipts were light, with a good demand for prime descriptions. City butchers took hold liberally. The week's sales were large in that way. The range of prices were $5 25@5 75 up to $6@6 25 per cwt—according to condition.

WHOLESALE SALES OF CATTLE PER CWT.

Seller.	No. head.	Price.
Cunningham	42	$6 25
Morrick & Dehnd	64	6 00@6 87 62
Myers & Shamburg	88	6 25
Gusz & Lafferty	69	6 25
J. Hudson	23	6 75
Gord, Kurtz & Co	90	6 00
Lehman	37	6 50
F. Wolff	26	5 50@6 50
Rothchilds & Eckert	86	6 50
Crouse & Haas	129	5 40@7 00
Marks & Trautrman	184	5 25@6 50
C. Marks	22	6 45

RETAIL SALES OF CATTLE PER CWT.

Seller.	No. head.	Price.
J. McAllister	40	$8 00@9 50
Myers & Shamburg	40	7 75@8 50
Gusse & Lafferty	94	8 50@8 50
Rose & Co	123	7 00@8 00
Wolff	25	8 00@7 00
Rothchilds & Eckert	92	8 00@7 40
Crouse & Haas	23	7 75@7 00
Marks & Trautrman	205	7 25@7 00
Greenwald & Bro	120	8 00@7 50
Rothchilds & Byers	120	8 00@7 50
C. Marks	44	6 00@7 00
J. Verner	64	7 00@7 25

New York Petroleum Market.

October 11.—Petroleum—The business since our last has been light, and the market yesterday closed very dull—nominally unchanged. Crude, although it has been forced to any extent, except at a material reduction from the nominal current quotations, and high gravity is quite in demand. There are no changes in difference in price—the sales are 4,175 bbls on the spot, chiefly 44@47 gravity, at 39@40c; including some 24 bbls bulk, closing nominal at 38@39c, for 40@47 gravity; low bbls 44@46 gravity, for Nov. delivery, at 38 c; hardly below the New York rates. The late European news by the China is of a highly favorable character both as regards the business and financial interests of this country. The price of American cotton has advanced, and Five-Twenties appreciated two per cent., which has stiffened prices on this side.

—The dividend of three per cent. by the Oil City and Pittsburgh Company, just announced, is the third since its organization. With a small capital and under good management, it is getting along smoothly, as well as profitably to the stockholders. The Good Intent Oil Company announces its eighth dividend. The stockholders have received back, in the shape of dividends from this Company, the full amount of the paid up capital, and have a good and steady investment left. These companies, as well as several others, are keenly watched over by J. K. Morange, Esq., and their continued prosperity shows what good management will do in an oil company.

—The only sales at the board this morning were 45 shares of Ross at 28c, and 1,000 shares Pittsburgh and New York at 55c, on four months credit.

—The following statement exhibits the September earnings of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad Company, as well as a comparison with the same period of the previous year. There is included in this abstract the sum of $7,000 for Government transportation:

	1865.	1864.	Inc.	Dec.
From freights	$189,181 94	$87,728 48	$91,753 00	.....
Passengers	28,270 04	20,1978 81	27,291 23	.....
Express matter	14,502 49	5,300 00	9,202 49	.....
Mails	2,833 33	2,625 00	.....	.....
Rent of railway	7,083 34	4,083 34	.....	.....
Miscellaneous	2,233 23	2,544 01	.....	$310 78
Total	$399,405 58	$875,359 64	$84,398 72	$310 78

Earnings from
Jan. 1 to Sep. 30 $6,205,437 03 $1,812,475 97 $1,491,961 06 .....

—The early purchases of dealers for the Fall trade are over, business having been active and profitable; but the reports from the country and the high prices of commodities favor the opinion that the balance of the season's trade will not be so heavy. Each and every one will find it incumbent to economize as much as possible—buying and consuming no more than is absolutely necessary. This probable retrenchment in productive pursuits may give to capitalists time for operations in the stock market. Already it is understood that some of our commission houses have received considerable orders to buy from outside parties. The continued issue of National Bank notes is a powerful stimulus to speculation.

—Coal stocks in New York and Philadelphia are attracting increased interest among investors and speculative operators. The coal companies are now having a run of prosperity similar to that of last year, when gold was at its highest premium. The mines are producing to their full capacity, and the only limit to their sales is in the transportation facilities of the roads. The extension of steam navigation and of iron manufactures has created a demand for coal equal to that of the most active period of the war, and with the current high prices for coal, there would seem to be no reason why the mines should not realize handsome profits. The collapse consequent upon the sudden close of the war, and the strikes of the operatives, have produced a decline in the Pennsylvania product for the expired portion of the year of 1,330,000 tons. The increased demand for maritime and manufacturing purposes has therefore found the markets comparatively bare of coal, and, as in other products, it will require time to bring up the supply to the unusual wants of the markets, prices in the meantime remain high.

The Upper Island Oil Company, of Philadelphia, yesterday declared a dividend of three per cent on the capital stock of the company, clear of State tax, payable on and after the 17th inst.

The Richmond *Republic* says—There has been no important variation in the buying rates of Southern bank notes since our list of quotations was published. To-day brokers quote North Carolina notes as follows:

Charlotte, 25c; Miners' and Planters', 30c; Lexington, 25c; Bank of North Carolina, Cape Fear, 35c; Farmers', 30c; Merchants', 80c; Roxboro', 35c; Wadesboro', Wilmington and Commerce, 20c; Commercial, 20c; Greensboro Mutual, 15c; Washington, Fayetteville, Clarendon and Yanceyville, 15c.

PITTSBURGH GENERAL MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY COMMERCIAL, FRIDAY, October 13, 1865.

BUSINESS—We have nothing of very interesting to note. Dullness appears to control the market in most departments. The receipts of produce being light, increased the confidence of holders who were inclined to hold out for the highest figures. The weather continues very pleasant, resembling May far more than October. The largest drawback on trade at present is the low stage of water in the Ohio and Allegheny rivers. Freights to all points are plenty. The present stage of water prevents boats from running. How long this will continue we have no means of ascertaining. We hope to announce a movement among the boats, and a rise of water before long. Bacon rules firm with a fair demand for most descriptions. The stock has been reduced down to a small figure, and that consists of shoulders and sides." Our packers have yet made no movement in regard to packing the coming season. The present figures will no doubt prevent a number of packers from packing here. Last year, it was said that it took a mint of money to purchase hogs. It will take several millions to perform the same operation the present one. In the meantime, the readers of the COMMERCIAL shall be fully advised in regard to all matters pertaining to this "hoggish" piece of business. Flour was firm, with a steady trade demand, as usual, and an advancing market. Dealers for city trade take hold sparingly. The export demand is also quiet. Grain was in fair demand, caused principally by light supplies. It would be difficult to dispose of round parcels at the present prices. Wool—The receipts are on the increase; prices, however, are very irregular. Ours was never noted for being much of a wool market. Below will be found the sales that came under our notice:

ASHES.—The market remains steady, with a fair local demand for the various descriptions. The largest inquiry for pearls, with sales of 6 tons at 9c. The market contains a fair supply.

WHISKY.—The market was not very active. The sales were confined to small lots to meet the wants of the home market. Sales of 12 bbls to the trade at $2 28 per gallon.

FLOUR.—The market remains steady with a fair local demand; holders were firm in their views. The receipts being light favored holders; buyers of round lots were disposed to hold off—the present figures don't suit their views. Among the sales we note the following: Extra family—sales of 200 bbls, winter wheat, at $9 75@10; 100 do at $9 75; 70 bbls at $10; sales extra family from spring wheat; sales 130 bbls in lots at $10@10 25, 75 bbls do the terms were withheld.

RYE FLOUR.—The demand is improving. Sales of 25 bbls from store at $7 25 ₱ bbl.

SEEDS.—The sales for some time past were restricted owing to limited supplies of the various kinds of pumps for all purposes, and their powers.

Timothy. Prices were nominal.

GRAIN.—The market is improving, with a fair amount of receipts. Sales 40 bbls at $1 25 ₱ bus, to go out of the market.

OATS.—The market was steady, with a good demand. Among the sales were the following: 50 bbls at 66@66 5c; 120 bbls, 85c; 50, and 400 bbls choice, 87.

GRAIN—There was a fair trade demand for the various articles that comes under this head. Prices continue to be influenced by the receipts. The supply on the market not being large holders were generally firm. Wheat a prime article was in fair demand. Sales 2 cars 2 Milwaukee club at $2 22, and depot, small lots of Pennsylvania red sold from wagon at $1 sketch for spring. Oats—The demand is improving under light receipts. Among the sales were 500 bush, in two lots, at 53c; 150 do at depot at 56c; 300 do at 52c. Small sales were made from store at 55c. Barley—Small sales of Pennsylvania were made at $1@1 05; sales 1 car prime Western at $1 20. Rye—We did not learn of any transactions.

LIME—Steady, with further sales of 60 bbls at $2 25.

BACON—The market was firm with a good demand for home purposes. The supply in the market has been reduced by the late shipments. Sales—Shoulders, 7,000 lbs, at 20@20½c; Sides, sales of 5,000 lbs, ribbed, at 26@27c; no country lots offering.

LARD OIL—Like all other hog products was firm and in fair demand. Sales of 35 bbls, No. 1, at $2 30 ₱ gallon.

LARD—Steady; sales of 10 kegs, country, at 20c.

MESS PORK—There is nothing doing except in a retail way at $38 @ $39 ₱ bbl.

LEAD—We note further sales of 250 pigs at 12c.

CHEESE—The market remains firm with an active demand for the various kinds at full prices. Sales of 31 boxes, Goshen, at 24c; sales of 40 boxes, Hamburg, at 19c; 20 do, Factory, at 20@20½c, and 40 do, W. R., at 19c.

POTATOES—The active demand we have noticed for some time, has been continued with a fair amount of transactions. The sales of Jersey sweet, this season, were the largest we have ever reported; yesterday's operations were 150 bbls, at 2 25@4 50 per bbl; 100 do, at $3. Peach blows—Demand improving; sales 75 bbls, at $3@3 25, and 50 bbls, at $3 15 per barrel. The supply is increasing.

BUTTER—The receipts were barely sufficient to meet the wants of the market, hence prices rule high; sales 20 packages assorted, 30@38c; inferior sold at lower figures as per quality.

EGGS—Were scarce, and holders are enabled to obtain just such figures as they choose to demand; sales 5 bbls at 29c.

GROCERIES—The market was excited, and most holders were asking an advance. We omit figures in the present issue.

Coffee Trade of Rio Janeiro.

WRIGHT & CO.'S TELEGRAM.

RIO DE JANEIRO, September 8, 1865.

Total sales Coffee between steamers.....bags, 87,000
Sales coffee for U. S. between steamers..... do 27,000
Shipments Coffee to United States, same time..... do 58,000
Stock Coffee at date..... do 75,000
Price Coffee..... 7,000@7,900
Sales Flour between steamers.....barrels, 7,000
Stock Flour at date..... 20,000
Price Flour..... flat, 17@18,000
Exchange..... 24½@25
Freights..... 35

Coal at Cincinnati.

October 11.—Coal—The cool weather produced a good retail demand, and there was a firmer feeling in the market. Youghiogheny advanced to 25c, asked, and 26@28c, delivered, and Ohio river to 18c, afloat, and 24 @25c, delivered. The prospect for a rise in the river is not very good, and this is one cause of the firmness of the market.

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, FRIDAY, October 13, 1865.

BUSINESS in the Oil way was inactive. The sales were on a very limited scale, the market being in that condition that correct figures would be somewhat difficult to obtain, there being a wide difference between the views of buyers and sellers. Report states that orders have been received in Philadelphia to purchase on foreign account 15,000@20,000 barrels of Refined. Buyers are disposed to hold off, as their figures are limited, hoping to be able to purchase at lower figures than were current for some time past. The contest will be decided in favor of the one that holds out the longest. Refiners will be pretty certain to make no further contracts for future delivery until they have made the necessary purchases of Crude to supply the same. To an outsider it don't seem probab le that refiners can give way. The prospect of a decline in crude is certainly